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1. A device for one of controlling and regulating an operational sequence in a motor vehicle, comprising:
  - a carrier;
  - a communications bus; and
  - a plurality of arrangements for performing one of a control and a regulation, each one of the arrangements including a processor that includes a storage unit and an input and output unit, wherein:  
the plurality of arrangements are spatially combined on the carrier, and are interconnected by the communications bus.
2. The device according to claim 1, wherein:  
the carrier includes a printed circuit board.
3. The device according to claim 1, further comprising:  
a plurality of voltage regulators.
4. The device according to claim 1, further comprising:  
an auxiliary energy source.
5. The device according to claim 1, wherein:  
the communications bus is to be decoupled from a data bus of the motor vehicle.

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